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Admiral Stansfield Turner
Director
Central Intelligence Agency
McLean, Virginia 20505

Dear Stan:

Congratulations on your confirmation to the key post of Director of the Central Intelligence Agency. This appointment to one of the most important and sensitive positions in the Government is a tribute to your high integrity as well as to your impressive accomplishments in the U.S. Navy. Your extensive background in political as well as military areas prepares you well to meet the challenges of this assignment.

Jo joins me in extending these congratulations both to you and Pat and in wishing you every success in your new endeavors.

With best personal regards,

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "F. Maestrone", written over a horizontal line.

Frank E. Maestrone
Ambassador